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HOUSE STANDING COMMITTEE ON APPROPRIATIONS

Wednesday, February 24th, 2016 8:15 a.m. Room 352 State Capitol Building

Representative Pscholka, Chair, called the meeting to order.

Chair Pscholka requested attendance be called to establish a quorum of the appointed committee members:

Present: Reps. Pscholka, Bumstead, Jenkins, Muxlow, Poleski, Potvin, Kelly, McCready, Pagel, VerHeulen, Victory, Afendoulis, Bizon, Canfield, Cox, Garcia, Inman, Miller, Santana, Irwin, Roberts, Banks, Faris, Singh, Yanez, Zemke, Durhal, Hoadley, and Pagan.

Absent: None.

Excused: None.

Representative Afendoulis moved to approve the minutes from the February 17th, 2016 meeting.

There being no objection, the motion was approved by unanimous consent.

The Chair invited Bethany Wicksall, representing the House Fiscal Agency, to give an overview of the Detroit Public School System. Questions and discussion followed.

The Chair invited Nick Khoury, Treasurer of Michigan, to give an overview of the Detroit Public School System. Questions and discussion followed.

The Chair invited Natasha Baker, representing the State School Reform Office, to give an overview of the Detroit Public School System. Questions and discussion followed.

The Chair laid HB 5382, HB 5383, HB 5384, HB 5385, HB 5386, and HB 5387 before the committee:

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| HB 5382 | (Pscholka) | Individual income tax; collections; earmark to community district education trust fund; provide for. |
| HB 5383 | (Price) | Education; financing; community district education trust fund; create. |
| HB 5384 | (Garcia) | Education; school districts; education district; create. |
| HB 5385 | (Poleski) | State financing and management; authorities; Michigan financial review commission; expand to include education districts. |

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| HB 5386 (Jacobsen) | Retirement; public school employees; participation in Tier 2 for employees first hired in a community district after a certain date; require. |
| HB 5387 (Garcia) | Education; employees; certain subjects of collective bargaining for public school employers organized as community districts; limit. |

Kathleen Merry, representing the Wayne Regional Education Service Agency, submitted a testimony card in opposition to the bills, but did not wish to speak.

Representative Pscholka introduced his bill. Questions and discussion followed.

Representative Price introduced her bill. Questions and discussion followed.

Representative Garcia introduced her bills. Questions and discussion followed.

Representative Poleski introduced his bill.

Representative Jacobsen introduced his bill. Questions and discussion followed.

The Chair laid the committee at ease, the time being 10:30 a.m.

The Chair called the committee to order, the time being 1:01 p.m.

There being no further business to come before the committee, the Chair adjourned the meeting, the time being 1:02 p.m.

Representative Pscholka, Chair

Matthew Carnagie
Committee Clerk
February 24th, 2016
136 minutes

Date Approved and Signed